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I. INTRODUCTION

1. My name is Dr. David Kessler, and I have been retained by counsel for Petitioner Apple, Inc. (“Apple” or “Petitioner”) as an expert witness to provide assistance regarding U.S. Patent No. 6,844,990 (the “’990 Patent”). Specifically, I have been asked to consider the validity of claims 27, 2, 4, 29, and 30 of the ’990 Patent (“Challenged Claims”) in view of prior art, obviousness considerations, and understanding of a person of ordinary skill in the art at the time of the invention (“POSITA”) as it relates to the ’990 Patent

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